IN SWORN CONFESSION MRS. FARMER DECLARES HUSBAND INNOCENT CUTICURA CURED

heavy bands held, and the body relaxed watched the terrible routine. when the current was turned off after

As the thunderbolt of volts entered It lasted only a second or two, but I quickly destroyed all signs of life.

final shade of death.

his cage and placed his right hand on closed eyes, into eternity. the muscles of the neck. Slight flutterings were found.

Frightened Suspense.

Westfall sat directly in front. The indicated their frightened suspense. woman's attendants had breathed a hur- Not a sound was made. The whispered ried good-by before entering the cham- exchanges of the physicians alone broke her and had left, also Father Hickey's the deadly calm. Then quickly there assistant. I stood against the wall with was a spark, and again the shrouded figure bolted upwards. The second Hardly was the setting complete shock lasted only five seconds. Again when Warden Benham gave a signal the doctors placed their stethoscopes and the full voltage was sent through to her heart, and again the hand of Mrs. Farmer's body. The figure started Electrician Davis pressed the neck as forward, tightening the straps, and the did that of Martha Place, Chester then shot upward several inches. The dillette and others. Blanched faces

Then to the surprise of all, the physicians stepped back, and again the full the body an unearthly gasp escaped current was driven into the body. There her lips. I shall never forget the sound. was no sound. The body again became It was unlike anything I ever heard, rigid and relaxed. The triple shock

The visiting physicians moved for A deep flush overspread her face and ward, applied the stethoscope, shook her neck began to swell perceptibly. A their heads and returned to their seats. livid whiteness then set in. it was the Mrs. Farmer was officially dead. The witnesses had been a few seconds less The fingers of both hands snapped than ten minutes in the chamber.

toward the palms after the shock, and Mrs. Farmer showed the most amazremained that way. The lever re- ing fortitude. She never faltered a leased, Executioner Davis stepped from second. She walked deliberately, with

I think she proved the bravest woman I ever heard of. The visitors returned to the warden's office. The The stethoscopes of Drs. Gerin and execution was pronounced a success in Spitzka quickly found other evidences every detail, as electrocutions go.

Dying Confession of Wife Says Farmer Is Innocent

AUBURN, N. Y., March 29.-Mary Farmer's promised dying confession completely exonerating her husband was written by her in her cell Friday atternoon, and sworn and subscribed before B. F. Winegar, notary public, on Sunday afternoon. It was addressed to the Rev. J. J. Hickey, of Holy Family Church, as follows:

To Rev. J. J. Hickeyt

My husband, James D. Farmer, never had any hand in Sarah Brennan's death, nor never knew anything about it till the trunk was opened. I never told him anything what had happened. I feel he has been terribly wronged.

James D. Farmer was not at home the day the affair happened, neither did James D. Farmer ever put a hand on Sarah Brennan after her death.

Again I wish to say, as strongly as I can, that my husband, James D. Farmer, is entirely innocent of the death of Sarah Brennan; that he knowingly had no part in any plans that had led to it, and that he knew nothing whatever about it.

Mrs. Farmer Meets Death at 6.15 A.M.; Does Not Collapse

AUBURN, N. Y., March 29.-Mrs. Mary Farmer was shocked to death in the electric chair in the prison here at 6.15 o'clock this morning for the murder of Mrs. Mary Brennan, at Brownsville.

The woman was brought into the death chamber at 6.04.

There were three shocks. The first application of 1,840 volts, seven and one-half amperes, lasted for one minute and two seconds. Then, as being a murderess, but her face beamed the physicians after an examination of her heart found muscular flutterings, there was a second shock, lasting five seconds.

Again an examination was made, and on a signal to the electrician the current was turned on full force.

At 6.15, after an examination by Drs. E. M. Sommers, Fred M. prayed.

Boyle, H. M. Westfall and P. M. Donovan, Warden Benham announced

the priest walked slowly, and Mrs. on her low forehead almost to her eyes and covering the back of her head to of complicity in the butchery of aged the head to of complicity in the butchery of ag dragged her heelless slippers over the the neck.

The march from the cell to the room rangement, made of steel and wires, was characterized her last hours on earth.

Father Hickey Tells of

Mrs. Farmer's Last Hours

(Special From a Staff Correspondent of the Evening World.)

AUBURN, March E-in the long Father Hickey, the good priest, reached hours of her last night Mrs. Farmer the condemned woman's cell shortly hours of her last night Mrs. Farmer the condemned woman's cell shortly again confessed her crime to the friend in prayer. She had prayed constantly who has encouraged, conformed and since her parting with her husband.

Mrs. Farmer the condemned woman's cell shortly find the former negro collector of the Charleston port.

She was found and Mrs. Farmer was placed on trial in Watertown. She was placed on trial in Watertown. She was found guilty on June 18, 1845.

Mr. Durant was appointed to succeed William D. Crum, the former negro Collector of the Charleston port.

AUBURN, N. Y. March 29.—Mary row, breathing words of consolation, in prayer. She had prayed constantly by the property of the Charleston port.

To circle A cold in the electric chair during the week beginning Aug. 21, 1888. The lawyers took an appeal and on Feb. Strength.

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Woman Executed To-Day, Her Confessor, the Warden and Diagram of Death March



I'm dying happy. My confession has done me so much good. Do for Jim free. I did it all, you know."

The priest interrupted to again assure "Why don't they come for me? I am The priest again heard the woman's confession and administered com- explated band. W nunion. From 3.30 until 5 o'clock

was hardly more than twenty feet, but the priest walked slowly, and Mrs. on her low forehead almost to her eyes

Tangement, made of steel and wires, was thank the priest walked slowly, and Mrs. on her low forehead almost to her eyes been heralded about the globe—a confes-All was now in readiness. The War- Sarah Brennan-than the autopsy per- slightest sign of emotion. It was a

Watertown? The secret findings may not be embodied in the official report of the autopsy.

watertown? The secret findings may vate undertaker's establishment to-day and buried in St. Joseph's Catholic Commetery on Owasso Lake, first outside Auburn. Father Hickey claimed strunk.

Mrs. Farmer's Last Hours 'Be Brave, Jim!' Condemned

wretched woman reached Auburn, pleasantly. The priest nodded, but great sat in the corridor of the condemned. At last the kindly hand of Mrs. John

her confession known.

She died gladly to save her husband that he might some time care for their child. The confession was written and woven in two thin braids her company her to death, were trembling death was void of any distressing feather.

The wife charges that, valued the Farmers was their home and filed it away.

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tendent St. Lawrence Hospital, Ogdensburg, N. Y.
Dr. Fred M. Boyle, Buffalo, N. Y.
Dr. Helen M. Westfall, Moravia, N. Y.
Miss Agnes Baird, Troy, N. Y.
Miss Margaret T. Byrne, Auburn, N. Y.
E. H. Thomson, Auburn, N. Y.
Frank E. Davis, South Butler, N. Y.
Wm. C. Bell, Auburn, N. Y.
In the long months she has been in prison none of those who have talked with the woman recalls her mentioning the two-year-old son's name. The boy is now with his uncle, Frank Farmer.

New Collector at Charleston Port

Succeeds Negro.

WASHINGTON, March 29.—The Sentet to-day confirmed the nomination of the to-day confirmed the nomination of the sentence of South Carolina and W. Lurant Ir. of

PLANNED MURDER ROOSEVELT LANDS TO GET "FORTUNE" FOR THEIR CHILD

Deeds to Victim's Property Months Before Killing.

in Trunk, Then Moved Into Her House.

uffered the death penalty, in Auburn reception. erison to-day ranks with the most de- Mr. Roosevelt attended a dance on offices, the greed for gain.

they planned the crime for months. All the members of the Roosevelt minary to it they committed forg- party are well. and perjury. After killing their ghbor, Mrs. Patrick Brennan, and sessed the husband of the dead womom the house she had owned by seans of a forged deed and moved into

Did it for Their Child.

but there is one feature about the agedy that forces, in spite of the horinspired by the crime, a feeling of mpathy for the guilty pair-they did t murder to benefit themselves. They der would eventually come into the possession of their shild, now two years United States is much admired,

birth of the paby and officiat- be only here two hours-a format rece; mother was recovering from her ill- will entertain the former President, and Orennan, but saving and canny, and Governor and Commander-General was reputed to have a considerable sum Gibraltar, and the principal livel has comfortable home. She owned the house she lived in and her husband worked every day in a factory and re- FREDERICK BOND, ligiously turned his savings in to her every Saturday night

The Plot Begins.

In October, 1907, the Farmers went to Brennan house and lot and furniture to never realized what struck her, word that her last farewell to the living Farmer for a consideration of \$1,500. larity, and the Farmers went back to raigned before him to-day.

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Warden Benham and the Rev. Father Hickey stole noiselessly to the woman's cell at 5.45, and the priest began whispering the prayers for the dying.

Mrs. Farmer sat on her couch. Her head was bowel, showing were the hair had been cut to give the electrode full contact.

A stole condemned woman arose site gazed about her as one in trance. It may have been that she was paralyzed with fright.

She was forested entirely in black. In her right hand the carried are received and store of the first that the fourth of the store of the first that the store of the store of the first that the store of the first that the store of the first that the store of the torted. Farmer repeated his statement that Mrs. Brennan had deeded the house and furniture to him and his wife and showed the deed. He then advised Brennan to go to Watertown and see if the document had not been properly executed and recorded.

dragged her heeliess slippers over the stone floor.

She was dressed in a black bifurcated floor start of the stephen and the medical start of the stephen and back to Waterfown and spent the night at the home of a relative.

The next day he consuited Mr. Carlisle again, and on the advice of the lawyer, who suspected that Mrs. Brennan had been murdered, he secured a search warrant. On April 26 the house was marched and the body found in the

Mrs. Farmer Confesses.

AND HAS A DRIVE AT THE AZORES

Farmers Began by Forging Governor Welcomes Ex-Pres ident Informally and Has Him and Party as Guests.

In some respects the murder for the taken ashore by the Governor and driven ommission of which Mrs. Mary Farmer through the town. There was no official

prison to-day ranks with the most de-piberate and horrible in criminal history. Mrs. Farmer and her husband killed an old woman—a lifelong friend—under the inspiration of the most sordid of dance with several of the young ladies. The time, I was tree from the con-board the Hamburg Saturday evening that Cuticura saved me from what the doctors called a bad leg. Capt. George took part in the entertainment and the inspiration of the most sordid of is inspiration of the most sordid of danced with several of the young ladies on board.

ing the body in a trunk they dis- GREETING TO ROOSEVELT ON HIS STOP IT GIBRALTAR, gentle anointings with Cuticura Cint-

American Consul Will Entertain Ex-President and British Of

is due on board the steamer Hamburg April 1) has aroused great interest here property they secured by her mur- where Mr. Roosevelt's successful pol tcy in maintaining the prestige of t and housekeeper in tion is impossible. Nevertheless, Rich little Farmer house while the ard L. Sprague, the American Consu ess. She was a kindly soul, Mrs. Gen. Sir Frederick Foresbier Walke

NOTED ACTOR, ACCUSED

Mrs. Farmer, who was practically un- City, fixed Wednesday for the hearing known in Watertown, impersonated Mrs. of the charges brought against Freder Brennan and forged her name. The deed ick Bond and Georgia Benton, a vaude was recorded in the office of the County ville team, by Mrs. Frederick Bond Clerk with every appearance of regu- Bond's wife, when the couple were at

inhale the rising steam. Also rub the throat and chest with the Oil. It gives quick relief, 10c., 25c., 50c.

Brennan went to Watertown and consulted Floyd L. Carlisle, a lawyer.

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Canadian Officer Poisoned by Weeds

CHIEF OF POLICE

FREED FROM ITCHING BY CUTICURA REMEDIES

dry eczema. I was inspecting the re-moval of nozious weeds, it being part of my duty, from the edge of a river and WOMAN WIELDED AXE.

HORTA. Fayal, Azores, March 29.

The steamer Hamburg with Theodore Roosevelt and the members of his party on board, put in here to-day to leave to it until it came to be too itchy and to it it until it came to be too itchy and to it it until it came to be too itchy and to it it until it came to be too itchy and to it until it came to be too itchy and to it it until it came to be too itchy and to it it until it it came to be too itchy and to it it until it came to be too itchy and to it it until it it the mails. The stay in port was a short one only. A. De Freitas, the Governor, of Horta, came out to the Hamburg and welcomed Mr. Roosevelt, after which the members of the Roosevelt party were taken ashore by the Governor and driven through the town. There was no official reception.

Mr. Roosevelt attended a dance or lower to the interest of the conduction of the root of the conduction o

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